

20 July 1953

Vice Admiral L. C. Stevens, USN (Ret.)
6 East 15th Street
New York 17, New York

Dear Admiral Stevens:

I read over the manuscript of your talk to the Johns Hopkins Conference and return it herewith.

There is nothing in it that violates security considering the fact that you talk as an individual and not as a representative of the Agency.

On page 4, I have made a couple of very minor comments and one suggestion that you fume the figure on submarines. I enjoyed reading the text very much and think you have made your points soundly and forcefully.

The exercise that we participated in together early in June came to fruition last week with some very interesting presentations. The point on which we found ourselves in disagreement has been covered in a Special Estimate (No. 46) which I thought you might be interested in reading. I am having it sent to you through appropriate channels.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely,

Robert Anson, Jr.

Encl.